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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Michel PUECH

Title:

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USE OF AN ULTRASONIC TRANSDUCER FOR ECHOGRAPHIC EXPLORATION OF HUMAN OR ANIMAL BODY TISSUES OR ORGANS IN PARTICULAR OF THE EYEBALL POSTERIOR

SEGMENT

Appl. No.:

09/581,515

Filing Date:

07/27/2000

Examiner:

Ali M. Imam

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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [X] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity statement previously submitted.
- [ ] Small Entity statement is enclosed.
- [X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Presen		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	31	_	31	=	0	×	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independents:	3	_ '	3	=	0	×	\$84.00	=	\$0.00
First presentation	on of any M	ultiple	e Dependent	t Cla	ims:	<del>-</del> +	\$280.00	=	\$0.00
					(	CLAIMS	FEE TOTAL:	=	\$0.00

[ X ] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

\$110.00	\$110.00	Extension for response filed within the first month:	[X]
\$0.00	\$400.00	Extension for response filed within the second month:	[]
\$0.00	\$920.00	Extension for response filed within the third month:	[]
\$0.00	\$1,440.00	Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	[]
\$0.00	\$1,960.00	Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	[]
\$110.00	N FEE TOTAL:	EXTENSIO	
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\$55.00	½ of above):	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract	[X]
\$55.00	TOTAL FEE:		

- [ ] Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$55.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.
- [X] A check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date April 18, 2002

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